

# Paper Petition Details

## Melbourne Avenue – Speed Breakers

We, the residents of Melbourne Avenue, hereby call upon Slough Borough Council to implement **speed breakers** along Melbourne Avenue.

We object to the current status because traffic has increased ten fold as a result of people avoiding Stoke Poges Lane traffic lights and using this as a shortcut and speeding as a result, with the local nursery situated at the end of this road, we believe the safety of our children comes first.

**This petition was received on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2011.**

**This petition was passed to the Head of Transport on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2011.**

**This petition was responded to on 24<sup>th</sup> February 2011 by the Assistant Engineer – Road Safety.**

### Final Results

<b>Number of Signatures</b>	<b>32</b>
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### Council Response

Thank you for the petition regarding the speed of traffic on Melbourne Avenue.

Having investigated the collision data for Melbourne Avenue for the last three years, which involves personal injuries that are reported to the Police, I can report that there were no casualties for this location.

In February 2010 we conducted an automatic traffic count for Melbourne Avenue, following a complaint. The count took place over eleven days and the average speed recorded was below the posted 30 mph limit.

With no reported collisions and low average speeds the council would not be able to support implementing any traffic calming on Melbourne Avenue.